

**Freeway Park Open House**  
**July 7, 2006**  
**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

- I would like to see use of more native plants in the planting design, e.g., creeping dogwood, flowering red current.
- I like the idea of adding more benches, especially with armrests dividing the seat into more seats so that people cannot lie down.
- I would like to see use of more native plants in the planting design, perhaps sections of the Park could highlight pines, etc.
- I would like to see plant ID signs for trees and shrubs, etc.
- For security reasons, remove concrete hiding places.
- I like the traditional/original design of Freeway Park.
- I like the idea to removing more trees.
- I would like to see more directional signs.
- Perhaps a group could be formed like the Central Park Conservancy for funding, etc.
- Please make Pigott Corridor vegetation more open, easier to see through from adjacent areas.
- Please do not remove more trees, add firs, native conifers.
- The tree removal brings more light, more people.
- If removing small plants (rather than throwing away), give to non-profits for use in their landscapes.
- I miss the fall colors with the removal of some of the maple trees – please plant more fall color plants.
- Please do not remove more large trees.
- Please remove the project ID ‘billboards’.
- Please give priority to renovating and restarting the fountains.
- Please look at puddle areas in walks – improve the drainage – level the surfaces to drain (specifically at the top of the University Street steps)

- I was against the removal of so many trees. Now that they are gone the Park is better. I guess Parks does know what it is doing.
- This is a very nice plan. The Park will be wonderful.
- The directional signs really help.